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management of this department; in adoition to where, or wave, condy passed, the Secretary of the Exterior is charged with the construction of the three wagon roads leading to the Pacific coast.

The department requires an additional building for its accommodation, and the exception of one has been repeatedly recommended during the last few years for that purpose. At gressen the Position of the is provided with rooms in what is known as "Window's Building," while the other branches of the department, including the Secretary's office, are all crowded into the Patent Office building, the whole of which will be required at an early day for the use of the Patent Office, for which it was originally intended.

The Treasury Department consists of the offices of the Secretary of the Treasury, two comptrellers, commissioner of the onstone, six au-dions, treasurer, register, solicitor, light-house board, and coast sur-

dots, treasurer, register, solicitor, light-house poacu, am observer.

The following is a brief indication of the duties of these several offices, and of the force employed therein, respectively:

Sordary's Office.—Hon. Howell Cobb, Socretary of the Treasury;

Hon Philip Clayton, Assistant Secretary, one engineer in charge; one architect, and three draughtsmen temporarily employed, and wendy-three clerks. The Secretary of the Treasury is charged with the general supervision of the flucal transactions of the government, and of the crecution of the laws concerning the confinence and navigations of the United States. He superintends the survey of the coast, the light-house stablishment, the marine hospitals of the United States, and the construction of certain public buildings for custom-houses and other pur-

struction of certain public buildings for customs houses and other purposes.

First Comptroller's Office.—Hon. William Mosilil, Comptroller, and filteen electus. He prescribes the mode of keeping and rendering and flown electus. He prescribes the mode of keeping and rendering and revises and certifies the balances arising thereon.

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\*\*Office of Commissioner of the Customs.—Hugh J. Anderson, eaq., Commissioner, and eleven clerks. He prescribes the mode of keeping and rendering the accounts of the customs revenue and discussement, and for the building and repairing custom-busses, he, and revises and certifies the balances arising thereon.

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\*\*Scood Auditor's Office.—Thomas J. D. Futher, Second Auditor, and trenty one clerks. He receives and adjusts all accounts relating to the pay, clothing, and recruiting of the army, as well as armories, freezing, and advances, and all accounts relating to the Busy, clothing, and recruiting of the army, as well as armories, freezing and advances, and all accounts relating to the Busy, clothing, and recruiting of the army, as well as armories, freezing and advances, and all accounts relating to the Busy and epastes, and all accounts relating to the Busy, clothing, and recruiting of the Linkholms.

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perintendent, and supergusteedent Capt. M. L. Smith, topographical to Coast Survey Office. A. W. Russell, chief clerk. C. B. Snow, in charge

Appointment Office, in charge of the chief clerk.

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tract Office.—William H. Dundas, esq., Second Assistant Postmas-nurral, and twenty-six clerks. To this office is assigned the busi-f arranging the mail service of the United States, and placing the under contract, embracing all correspondence and proceedings eting the frequency of trips, mode of conveyance, and times of de-ce and arrivals on all the routes; the course of the mail between

registers of the arrivals and departures of the mails, certificates of the service of route agents, and reports of mail failures; of noting the desinquencies of contractors, and preparing cases thereon for the action of the Postmaster General; furnishing blanks for mail registers, and reports of mail failures; providing and sending out mail bags and mail-locks and keys, and doing all other things which may be necessary to secure a faithful and exact performance of all mail consects. All cases of mail depredations, of violation of law by private expresses, or by the forging or illegal use of postage stamps, are under the supervision of this office, and should be reported to it.

All communications respecting to the money, there, mail departs.

The Navy Department consists of the Navy Department proper, being the office of the Secretary and of five bureaus attached thereto, viz. Bureau of Navy-yards and Docks, Bureau of Construction, Equipment, and Repair, Bureau of Provisions and Clothing, Bureau of Gentlance and Hydrography, and the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

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Secretary's Office—Hen. Issue Tonocy, Secretary of the Nary; Charles W. Welsh, est, chief elect, and eleven clerks. The Secretary of the Navy lass charge of everything connected with the mayal establishment, and the execution of all laws relating there is intrasted to him, under the general direction of the President of the United States, who, by the constitution, is commander to equal to the army and navy All instructions to commanders of squadrons and commanders of vessels, all orders of officers, commissions of officers both in the navy and marine corps, appointments of commissioned and varrant officers, orders for the enlistment and discharge of seamen, constitution from the Secretary's office. All the duties of the different bureaus are performed under the authority of the Secretary, and their orders of the commandant of that corps should be approved by all the orders of the commandant of that corps should be approved by

the marine corps forms, also, a part of the duties of the Secretary, and all the orders of the commandant of that corps should be approved by him.

Bureau of Nany Farets and Backs—Commoders Joseph Smith, chief of the bureau, four clorks, one civil engineer, and one draughtsman. All the navy yards, decks and wharves, buildings and machinery is navy-yards, and everything immediately connected with them, are under the superintendence of this bureau. It is also charged with the management of the Naval Asylum.

Bureau of Construction, Engineers, and Repair—John Leuthall, esq., chief of the bureau, eight cierks, and one draughtsman. The other of the engineer-in-chief of the navy, busied B. Martin, esq., is attached to this bureau, who is ansisted by three assistant engineers. This bureau has charge of the building and repairs of all vessels of war, purchase of materials, and the provising of all vessels of war, purchase of materials, and the provising of all vessels with their conjugments, as sails, ambors, water tanks, &c. The engineer in-chief superintends the sometraction of all martine steam engines for the navy, and, with the approval of the Secretary, decides upon plane for their construction.

Bureau of Provisions and Clothing.—H. Bridge, purser United States

tion.

Bureau of Processions and Ctothing.—H. Bridge, purser United States navy, chief of bureau, and four clerks. All provisions for the use of the navy, and clothing, together with the making of contracts for furnishing the same, come under the charge of this bureau.

Bureau of Ordanace and Hydrography.—Capt. Dencan Ingraham, Chief of bureau, four clerks, and one draughtenau. This bureau hapingre of all gredgange and urlangue stores, the manufactors or parchase of cannin, gure, powder, shot, shalls, ac., and the equipment of vessels of sax; with everything connected therewith. It sho provides them with maps, charts, chronometers, bacometers, &c., to-other with such books as are furnished ships of ear. "The United States Naval Observatory and Hydrographical Office" at Washington, and the Naval Anadamy at Annapolis, are also under the general superintendence of the chief of this bureau.

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Hoo, J. B. Floyd, Scoretary of War, W. R. Drinkard, chief clerk, seven subordinate clerks, two measurers, and four watchmen. The bilowing bureaus are attached to this department:

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Payments will by made in specie checks upon the treasury upon the monthly estimates of the engineer, reserving 10 per-cent: and it will be a condition of all contracts that the workmen shall be paid their full wages monthly, and in specie.

All bids should be sealed, and endorsed "Proposals for work or ma-terials on the Washington Agacdust."

The United States reserves the right to raject any or all the bids should they not be deemed advantageous, and to make such arrange-ments as may be considered most conducive to the progress of the

work.

Every offer must be accompanied by a written guarantee, signed by one or more responsible persons, to the effect that he or they undertake that the bidder or bidders will, if his or their bid be accepted, enter into an obligation, within ten days, with good and sufficient accertices, for the completion of the work undertaken; said guarantee he is accompanied by the certificate of the United States district judge, United States district tatterney, navy agent, or some officer of the general government or individual known to the Engineer or Department of War, that the guarantees are able to make good ther guarantee.

Bids will be opened in presence of bidders, if any of them choose to be present.

Capt. of Engineers, in charge.

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To Capt. M. C. Meiga, U. S. Engineers.

We the undersigned, residents of \_\_\_\_\_, in the State of \_\_\_\_\_, hereby, jointly and severally, covenant with the United States, and guaranty, in case the foregoing bid of \_\_\_\_\_\_ be accepted, that he or they will, within ten days after the acceptance of the mid bid, excepted the state of the same, with good ands ufficient sureties to perform or furnish the articles proposed in conformity to the terms of the advertisement under which it was made. And in case the said stall fall to enter into contract as aforesaid, we guarantly to takke good the villierence between the offer by the said \_\_\_\_\_ and the sext lowest bidder.

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(Signed) A. B.
C. D. C. D. I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and better, the bove named gustantors are good and sufficient, (Signed)

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United States Patent Office,

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Wasmroros, November 7, 1867.

On the petition of Josiah Copeland, of Weymouth, Massachmeets, prayins for the extension of a patent granted to him on the 20th January, 1844, for an improvement in "Boot Crimps," for seven years from the expiration of salet patent, which takes place on the 20th day of January, 1854.

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on Monday, the 11th January next, 1852.

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Persons opposing the extension are required to the in the Patent Office their objections, specially set forth in writing, at leant twenty days before the day of hearing, all testimony filed by either party to he used at the said hearing must be taken and transmitted in accordance with the rules of the office, which will be furnished on application.

The testimony in the case will be closed on the lat of Jasnary depositions, and other papers relied upon as testimony, mask a filed in the office on or before the morning of that day; the arguments, if any, sethin ten days thereafter.

Ordered, also, that this notice he published in the Union, Intelligencer, and Evening Start, Washington; Pennsylvanian, Philadelphia; body washington, and the control of the acting start, the day of hearing.

KESPH HOLT.

Commissioner of Patents.

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and fluct up with new and elegant furniture, anisable for a first-class
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